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On Monday, November 30, Governor Brown announced the appointment of Ken Harris, Executive Director of the Central Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board as the new head of the Division of Oil, Gas, & Geothermal Resources (DOGGR). Dr. Steven Bohlen the current head of DOGGR will be returning to Lawrence Livermore Labs at the end of December. Mr. Harris will continue to serve as an advisor to the board, on an as-needed basis, and Dr. Bohlen will also serve as advisor to DOGGR. In addition, we were advised by DOGGR that the Arroyo Grande Aquifer Exemption proposal will be posted on line today, for an additional 15 public comment period. Once the comment period is closed, DOGGR will respond to any comments received and finalize the package for EPA review.

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